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DRAFT OPERATION PLAN, COMPLETENESS DETERMINATION, SAFETY-KLEEN
SYSTEMS, INC., HIGHLAND SERVICE CENTER, SAN BERNARDINO COUNTY,
ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY IDENTIFICATION NUMBER
CAT 000613927

Dear Mr. LuQuire:

This letter is to inform you that the Department of Toxic Substances Control (DTSC) has deemed your draft Operation Plan for the Highland Service Center, located at 7979 Palm Avenue, technically complete.

You submitted an application (i.e., draft Operation Plan) for the renewal of your Hazardous Waste Facility Permit ("Permit") to DTSC in March 2004. After a review of the application for technical completeness, DTSC sent you a Notice of Deficiency (NOD) letter on January 10, 2006. In response to the NOD, Safety-Kleen submitted to DTSC, a revised application, dated February 23, 2006. Subsequent to the revised submittal, DTSC has received additional clarifying information for the application.

DTSC has carefully reviewed your revisions to the draft Operation Plan, and has concluded that the application is technically complete. DTSC will now initiate the preparation of the draft Permit. DTSC will also prepare the appropriate documentation for compliance with the California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA). The draft Permit, the CEQA documentation will be public noticed in the near future.

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If you have any questions, please contact Ms. Janice Yonekura at (916) 255-3711 or jyonekur@dtsc.ca.gov.

Sincerely,

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